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INTERMITTENT CONNECTIVITY IN A COMPUTING ENVIRONMENT

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Sir:

**COMMENTS ON EXAMINER'S STATEMENT OF  
REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**

To the extent, if any, that the Examiner's reasons for allowance are inconsistent with, add or omit claim limitations, Applicant states that it is the claims as a whole that define the invention.

Respectfully submitted,

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